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NIGHTTIME RAMP CLOSURES ON I-293 IN MANCHESTER PAVING WORK WILL REQUIRE REPOUTED TRAFFIC

The New Hampshire Department of Transportation announces night paving work will require the closure of the eastbound on-ramp and the westbound off-ramp on Interstate 293 at the Brown Avenue interchange in Manchester.

This night paving work will take place on Friday, September 17 and Saturday, September 18, 2004 from 9:00 pm until 5:00 am each night. During those hours, motorists seeking to use those ramps will be rerouted via the interchange near Macy's.

This work is part of a \$13 million project that includes pavement rehabilitation and widening of I-293 between Exit 1 and Exit 2, and the rehabilitation of four bridges over Brown Avenue and Frontage Street. George Cairns and Sons, Inc. of Londonderry, New Hampshire is the general contractor.